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Applicant: William H. Velander, et al.

Title: EXPRESSION OF ACTIVE HUMAN FACTOR IX IN MAMMARY
TISSUE OF TRANSGENIC ANIMALS

Prior Appl. No.: 09/367,087

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Examiner: D. Crouch

Art Unit: 1632

CONTINUING PATENT APPLICATION
TRANSMITTAL LETTERCommissioner for Patents
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) is a:

[] Continuation [X] Division [] Continuation-In-Part (CIP)

of the above-identified copending prior application in which no patenting, abandonment, or termination of proceedings has occurred. Priority to the above-identified prior application is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 120 for this continuing application. The entire disclosure of the above-identified prior application is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuing application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

[X] Applicant claims small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27.

Enclosed are:

[X] Specification, Claim(s), and Abstract (39 pages).

[X] Formal drawings (9 sheets, Figures 1-4).

[X] Declaration and Power of Attorney (Copy from parent) (4 pages).

[X] Information Disclosure Statement.

[X] Form PTO-1449

[X] Statement Regarding Submission of Sequence Listing

Paper copy of Sequence Listing (1 page)

Application Data Sheet (37 CFR 1.76)..

The filing fee is calculated below:

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Basic Fee				\$740.00	\$740.00
Total Claims:	10	- 20	= 0	x \$18.00	= \$0.00
Independents:	2	- 3	= 0	x \$84.00	= \$0.00
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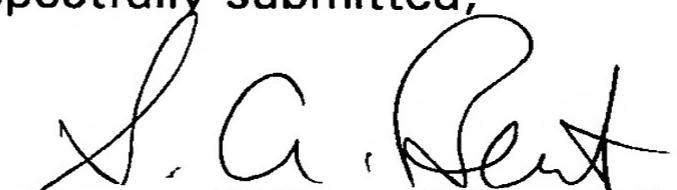
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

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STATEMENT REGARDING SUBMISSION OF SEQUENCE LISTING

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The computer readable form of the Sequence Listing for this application is to be identical with that filed in Application Number 09/367,087, filed September 15, 1999. In accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(e), please use the last-filed computer readable form in that application as the computer readable form for the instant application. It is understood that the United States Patent and Trademark Office will make the necessary change in application number and filing date for the computer readable form that will be used for the instant application. A paper copy of the Sequence Listing is submitted herewith.

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